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W. J. SELICK--DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES

Saturday, July 25

Special Sale

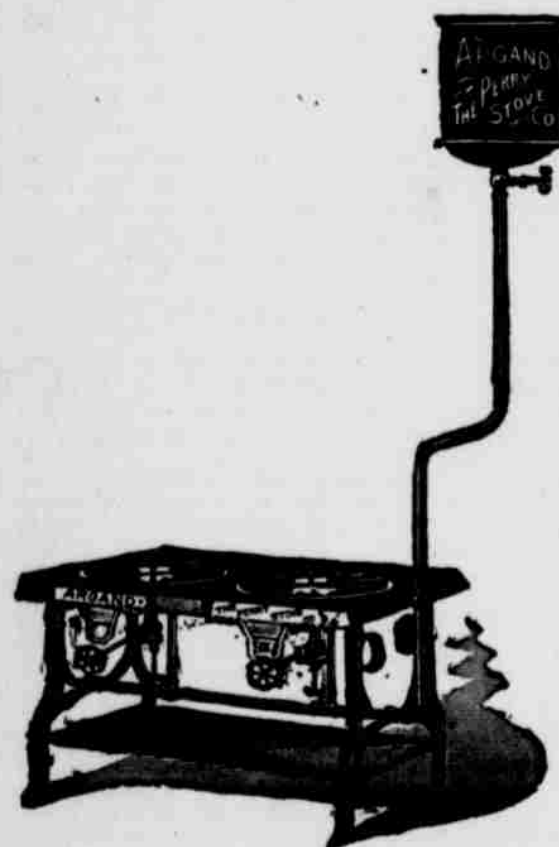
DRESS GOODS.

36 inch Colored Henriettas at 17c  
40 inch "all wool Henriettas 31c  
46 inch Black, all wool Serges 37c

Besides the marvelous low prices quoted on these, we will make a corresponding price on our entire line of goods.

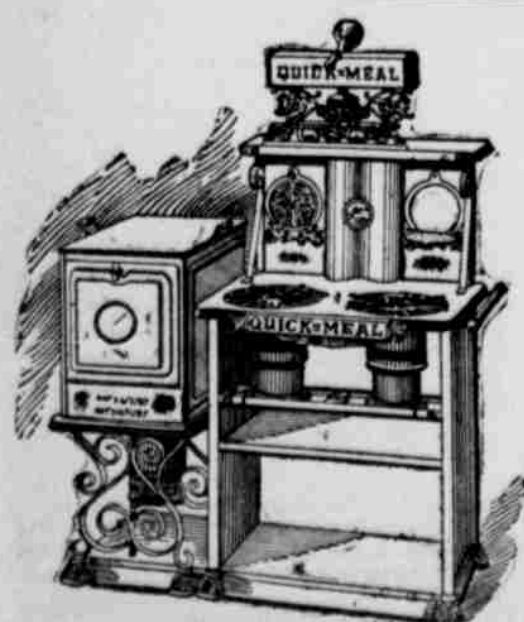
W. J. SELICK.

H. C. WATERS & CO.--HARDWARE.



for our immense stock of FALL STOVES. Our stock is not old but of the

Latest Patterns and Styles!



We have Quick Meal Vapor Stoves in 2 and 3 burner with step, and several Quick Meal Generator Stoves in all sizes. We also have a few New Process Vapor Stoves which will be sold at the same discount. Don't delay about buying, for the first come first served.

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### BUSINESS NOTICES.

C. A. Critchlow, M. D.  
Homoeopathic Physician and Surgeon.  
Office over Broughton's store--former office of Andrews & Woodman. [57ly]

J. C. Maxwell, Physician & Surgeon.  
Special attention to diseases of the eye. Glasses properly fitted. Office in rooms formerly occupied by Dr. Dunning. Office hours: 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 and 6:30 to 8:30 p. m. [2107ly]

C. E. THOMPSON, M. D., C. M.  
Physician and Surgeon.  
Doctor of Medicine and Master of Surgery, Trinity University, Toronto, Canada. Fellow of Trinity Medical School, Toronto, Canada. Licentiate King and Queens College of Physicians, Dublin, Ireland. Late resident physician of Coombs Hospital, Ireland.

SPECIALTY--All acute and chronic diseases, and diseases of women. Residence and office in the house formerly occupied by the late Dr. M. E. Whalen, Main st. All calls promptly attended, day or night. Office consultation free. Office hours--9 to 11 a. m., 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m. [39ly]

W. C. Y. Ferguson, D. D. S.  
Dental Parlor.

All operations, including Crown and Bridge work, rendered as painless as possible. Office in Longwell Block. [2083ly]

Dentistry.  
J. F. Perry, dentist, will visit Paw Paw every Wednesday. Regulating teeth, and crown and bridge work a specialty. Office with Dr. Critchlow. [74ly]

W. J. Johnson, V. D. V. S.  
Graduate Ontario Veterinary College. Calls promptly attended to. Charges reasonable. Office at Longwell Block, drug store, Paw Paw, Mich. [3041-ly]

Heckert & Chandler.  
Attorneys and Solicitors. Do a general law business. Paw Paw, Mich. [78]

Titus & McNeil.  
Attorneys at Law. Abstract building. Law, insurance and collections. [82ly]

Anderson & Chase.  
Attorneys at Law. Special attention given to collections. Mortgages negotiated and money loaned on real estate. Office over Paw Paw Savings Bank. [73]

A. Lynn Free, Lawyer  
Office over Avery's store, Paw Paw, Michigan. [24ly]

Money.  
Money to loan on real estate. [13ly]

Hinckley & Graham  
Will run a covered carriage to meet all M. C. trains at Lawton. Regular trips. Leave orders at Dyckman House or at the barn. Special attention given to draying, moving, etc. [86ly]

Paw Paw Savings Bank.  
Capital \$50,000.00 F. W. SELICK, Pres., JOHN W. FREE, Cashier.

Board of Directors.  
J. J. WOODMAN, DAVID FISHER, JOHN LYLE, WILLIAM LYLE, JOHN W. FREE, W. B. SELICK, F. W. SELICK, WILLIAM J. SELICK. Interest paid on Certificates of Deposit. [2044ly]

Two Good Farms  
For sale on easy terms by the Paw Paw Savings Bank. [42ly]

Bakery and Lunch Room.  
Leave your orders for

ICE CREAM  
to be delivered at your home for Sunday dinner.  
Choice Confectionery.  
Fresh Baked Goods.  
Pure Family Groceries.  
E. A. FOSTER.

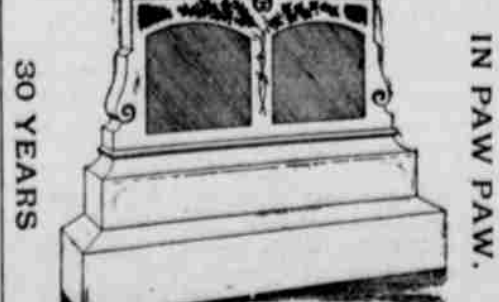
THOMAS J. CAVANAUGH,  
Lawyer.  
Office over First Nat'l Bank, Paw Paw, Michigan. Money to loan on real estate. [1927]

Butler's City Bus Line.  
Orders for private houses should be left at the Post Office. We never miss the train. G. E. BUTLER, Prop. 52ly.

George L. Bruner.  
Contractor, Builder, and Building Moving. All kinds of plain and fancy stone work done. Will take contracts for all kinds of building repairing, also contracts for new work, and furnish everything. Satisfaction guaranteed. GEO. L. BRUNER. [80ly]

For Sale.  
A farm of 120 acres located one mile north and one-half mile east of Bloomington, Michigan. Will sell cheap for cash, or will give time on part if desired. THOS. CLARAGE & SON, [88ly]

I. A. WHITMAN, GRANITE WORKS.



I do not sell by agents. I do keep a large stock to select from. I do save you one-fourth in price. It will pay you to come here.

The leading fire insurance companies represented by E. F. PARKS.

Painting, Paper Hanging, Etc.  
We are now prepared to execute orders for house and carriage painting, paper hanging, glazing, &c., &c. Shop in Mason mill. Leave orders at shop or at Dyckman House. [38ly]

J. A. LEECH & SON.

Horses for Sale.  
Eight or ten good work horses for sale. Time given to responsible purchasers. Enquire of G. E. Gilman or J. W. Free, Paw Paw, Mich. [40ly]

For Sale or Rent!  
A house and lot in the village of Paw Paw. Would prefer to sell. Enquire of or address, LYMAN COOPER, [40ly]

Marshall & Gardner.  
The popular milliners, have their new spring goods all in, and offer a large and stylish selection. Don't forget our fancy goods department. Hair work done to order. Inspect our stock before buying. [43ly]

Ice! Ice! Ice!!!  
Order your ice from your home dealers. Ocoock Bros. will fill all orders daily at the lowest living rates. Leave orders at Ocoock Bros.' "old reliable" Model Meat Market. [46ly]

Spring Millinery.  
Our new stock is in. It is right in style, quality and price. Our trimmers please others; they will please you. We will be pleased to show our seasonable millinery to all ladies, whether they desire to purchase or not. [48ly]

MRS. M. L. O'DELL.

Fine Property for Sale Cheap.  
Ten-room house, large grounds, fruit and shade in abundance, everything in good order, splendid location. Long time on one-half of the purchase money. [53ly]

Cider Making!  
For the next thirty days I will make cider every Friday, and after that every day except Sundays. Price, one penny per gallon. [564ly]

Champion Victor, No. 44,661, is a very fine Jersey bull kept for services at my barn on north Gremps st.; price \$1.00 53057\* FRANK W. COLE.

Local Department.

A. J. Roundy is home from Petoskey. Peter Gremps has had his house repainted.

G. B. McOmber of Decatur was in town Monday.

A cement walk is being laid around the Tyler store.

Mrs. Frank Cutter returned from the East last Wednesday.

Born, Friday, July 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Morton, a son.

Mrs. Dustin Thorpe is visiting friends in Battle Creek and Climax.

Selick advertises a great special sale of dress goods for Saturday.

H. C. Waters & Co. advertise a great discount sale of gasoline stoves.

The Almene ladies' aid will meet with Mrs. Ziehl, Wednesday, July 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harrison returned Saturday from Petoskey.

J. W. Warner of Grand Rapids is visiting his Paw Paw relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Stevens of Battle Creek are guests of Paw Paw friends.

Advertised letters: Mr. Sidney R. Allen, A. D. Smith, Mr. John Dutton.

Mrs. John Lyle is recovering from a severe attack of drowsy and heart disease.

Mrs. Jennie Slayton, nee Cook, of Chicago is the guest of Mrs. J. E. Phillips.

Mrs. Etta Babbitt of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bale.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davey are home from their visit to friends in Jackson and Detroit.

Mrs. E. S. Sutton of Battle Creek has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. U. Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell M. Rogers of Kalamazoo are spending a few days with friends here.

C. R. Avery advertises this week some special sale prices, that are sure trade winners.

Emmett Thomas was confined to the house for a few days with erysipelas, but is out again.

Snow Bros. put in one of their hot air furnaces for Jas. Copeland in Lawrence, last week.

The NORTHERNER force have been eating apples furnished by their friend, David Woodman.

Mrs. Bartram and Mrs. Wm. Welch returned last week from a visit with friends in Chicago.

A Portland cement cross-walk is being laid between the Savings bank and the Dyckman house.

Lew Showerman takes Blue Jeans to Bangor to-day, where he will start him in the races to-morrow.

Mrs. Flora Long and children of Lawrence visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Tyner, last week.

Prof. F. A. Bacon has been here for a few days, looking after his business interests.

Mayor Otto Ihling and family of Kalamazoo drove through town yesterday, en route to Lake Cora.

Rev. and Mrs. G. P. Linderman rejoice over an eight pound girl, born Saturday morning, July 18.

The frame is up for E. S. Briggs' new residence, which will be one of the pleasantest houses in town.

Mrs. Beddo has moved to Paw Paw Lake for the summer. Frank Gambling and wife will occupy her house.

Geo. Palmer of Lincoln, Neb., son of Chauncey Palmer of Almene, is renewing old acquaintances in this vicinity.

Mrs. S. A. Smith gave a five o'clock last Friday in honor of her nieces, Misses Ella and Helen Smith of Mohawk, N. Y.

Snow Bros. have in their adv. this week a testimonial from Elmer W. Hall of Lawton, concerning the merits of the Snow furnace.

The women's mission society of the Free Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Barton on Saturday of this week, from 2 to 4 p. m.

"Hall & Folsom, landscape photographers," is the inscription on a neat little wagon that will go out through the country from Paw Paw's popular gallery.

Shippers of early peaches are realizing practically nothing from the crop. The returns are but little more than enough to cover actual cost of handling the fruit.

Mr. Allie Myers of Hartford, who is convalescing from typhoid fever, is visiting his sister, Mrs. L. A. Driscoll. He has been employed as an engineer in Joliet, Ills.

Leo Warner went to Grand Rapids on the excursion last Sunday and remained visiting relatives at that city and at Middleville. He expects to stay some time.

James Stephenson of Chicago spent Sunday with Mrs. Stephenson and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kirkwood, at Three Mile Lake. Mrs. Stephenson will remain here for some time yet.

Rev. G. P. Linderman left at this office a basket of his early six weeks potatoes, the finest we have seen. They are a new variety and the elder will have quite a large quantity of them.

Mrs. Nelson and family will soon move into the Firrell house, recently purchased by her and now occupied by Charles Wilkey and family, who will move into the house Mrs. Nelson will vacate.

The other day, five cars of lumber were backed onto the siding at Free & Hagerman's lumber yard. The post at the end of the siding was broken and one car ran off the end of the track and was badly demoralized.

Local politics are getting hot and candidates for county nominations are thicker than flies around a molasses barrel. It is needless to add that the aspirants so far as heard from are all republicans in this county.

There will be a lively matinee on the Paw Paw track, Saturday afternoon. Blue Jeans and Frank Grimes' mare will make up one race, and Warner's mare will try speed with Henry Turrell's new flyer. Each race will be best three in five, half mile heats.

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Mrs. Ida Hudson to Prof. Wm. Cobb, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Van Fossen, in this village, to-morrow. They will leave at once for Chicago, and will be "at home" at Marion, Ohio, August 10.

At a business meeting last Thursday evening, the Disciple endeavor society elected the following officers for the ensuing term: President, M. O. Rowland; vice pres., Mrs. May Long; secretary, Guy De Haven; treasurer, Retta Chapman; organist, Bernice Quick.

A wrong figure in the local column of last week's NORTHERNER made some confusion concerning the date of the Paw Paw republican caucus, which will be held Saturday afternoon next, July 25, in accordance with the call as published elsewhere in this paper.

Mrs. Ira Cross of Chicago, who is in very poor health, came here for medical treatment. She was taken suddenly worse at the home of Frank Cutter, last week, and Mr. Cross and two sons, Charles and Ellery, were hastily summoned from Chicago. Mrs. Cross is now better, but the family is still here.

The S. H. & E. will make a rate of one fare for the round trip from all stations east of and including Hartford to the republican county convention at South Haven, July 30. Delegates and parties expecting to attend the convention will leave on regular morning train and return on regular evening train.

The Paw Paw ball team went to Otsego yesterday and was defeated by a score of 8 to 4. This is a remarkably creditable showing for the Paw Paw team, as Otsego is considered the strongest club in south-western Michigan and has won game after game from the best amateur and from some professional teams.

The following is a list of the newly installed officers of Paw Paw Encampment, No. 30, I. O. O. F.: H. L. McNeil, C. P.; B. O'Dell, H. P.; J. B. Rickard, S. W.; Seth Allen, J. W.; O. W. Rowland, S.; A. F. McNeil, T.; David Chapman, O. S.; L. W. Hulbert, I. S.; G. W. Weston, G.; J. F. Bullard, 1st W.; S. H. Blackman, 4th W.

The officers of Paw Paw Lodge No. 18, I. O. O. F., for the ensuing term are as follows: F. E. Ocoock, N. G.; G. W. Wilson, V. G.; F. B. Bassett, S.; J. W. Hulbert, T.; A. F. McNeil, R. S. N. G.; J. H. Waters, L. S. N. G.; J. F. Bullard, W.; Will Rickerson, C.; J. B. Rickard, O. G.; Arthur Buys, R. S.; G. W. Weston, L. S. S.; S. H. Blackman, Chap.; O. W. Rowland, R. S. V. G.; E. H. Lindsey, L. S. V. G.

Broughton's midsummer clearing sale is an innovation in Paw Paw merchandising. Everything in the big store is offered at reduced prices. It is a great money saving sale to the public, and even in these quiet summer days is attracting business to Broughton's. See the two big ads. in this paper.

The second annual convention of the Fifth District Sunday School Association will be held at Crystal Springs, August 5 and 6. On the excellent program we notice the following from this county: Free parliament, led by D. B. Allen, Covert; address by Rev. F. W. Corbett, Paw Paw; "Christian Citizenship and the S. S.," by Rev. C. DeW. Brower, South Haven.

At a meeting of the council Monday evening, the usual batch of bills was allowed. New sidewalks were ordered in a number of places, and some sidewalk orders were rescinded, the principal one being that for a walk on the west side of the river to the Harrison property. The council voted to allow five cents per foot towards the construction of cement walks, where owners of the property will pay the balance.

When it comes to a matter of price--as to who is the most reasonable, who the most likely to spare your purse--the advantage is certainly with the concern that buys in the largest quantities from the best and biggest manufacturers, and that means E. Smith & Co.'s great whale clothing success, for they get the famous H. S. & M. clothing direct from the makers. Their two-for-the-price-of-one shirt sale brings the people.

The narrow gauge engine ran off the track while making the early morning run from Lawton to Paw Paw, Saturday, and was ditched near Lawrence Martin's. The accident delayed mail and passenger traffic during the day, while the track was being cleared, but fairly good service was rendered, as one engine was each side of the wreck. The derailed engine was considerably damaged. Fortunately, no one was injured. Everything was running as usual on Monday.

The marriage of Rev. A. J. Hutchins, pastor of the Baptist church at Clinton, and Miss Allie Boyrie of Augusta was solemnized at the home of the bride's sister by Rev. A. H. Bailey, Tuesday evening, July 14. Miss Anna Easy, a friend of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and C. W. Hutchins, brother of the groom, as best man. They received many beautiful presents. A wedding supper was served. They left for Milwaukee to attend the national B.Y.P.U. convention.

Emmett Thomas entertained a few of his Gobleville and Paw Paw friends at croquet by lamp light last Wednesday evening, on the lawn just west of the jail. One of the startling features of the game was that Mr. Pugsey got dead on Miss Pennington's ball but soon regained consciousness and was ready for refreshments at 11 p. m., at which time the game was about half over. Although rovers were numerous, it was decided that the honors should fall upon Miss Myers and Guy Lamberson.

A NORTHERNER representative was at Keeler last week, and found the people there very enthusiastic over the prospect of the electric road. The survey through the township was then completed, and the right of way was nearly all donated. The surveyors were then in Hamilton and are now nearly into Decatur. They will reach Paw Paw in course of a few days. The survey they are making is a permanent one, including all levels, curves, etc., and it is to be hoped the enterprise will come to a speedy completion.

A number of the scholars of 1874, belonging to school district No. 5 of Almene, met with Mrs. Ola Whelan Cross last Thursday evening, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Whelan. Ice cream and cake were served, after which the remainder of the evening was spent in social chat and school reminiscences. Those present were Geo. Palmer and wife of Nebraska, Frank Crofoot, Luther DeForest, James Neal, George Langdon, Anson Pease and C. H. Smith, all accompanied by their wives; also Misses Lillie and Fay Smith, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith.

Paw Paw and Lawton ball teams played another game on the Paw Paw grounds, Friday afternoon. Lawton won by a score of 14 to 6. The game was remarkable only for loose playing on both sides, but especially by the Paw Paw team. The boys fielded poorly and batted worse. Lawton outplayed our team easily, but that is no particular credit to them, as they did not put up anything like their usual game. While Percy Lawton was running between first and second in the early part of the game, he ran into J. A. O'Leary, who was knocked senseless by the collision and did not recover for some little time. Mr. O'Leary was unable to finish the game, but was all right again in a few hours.

The railroad meeting at the court house Saturday evening was attended by much the largest and most representative crowd that has yet turned out in the interest of the proposed electric road from Benton Harbor. Owing to some misunderstanding, the officials of the road were not present, but the meeting was successful, just the same. H. L. McNeil reported on the enabling act passed by the last legislature, and there is no doubt whatever that the act can be made use of in the present opportunity, if a two-thirds majority of the tax payers desire the road. A number of short talks were made, all manifesting much enthusiasm for the enterprise. Representative citizens were present from all parts of the township and, when an expression was taken as to whether the sense of the meeting was favorable to bonding the township to secure the road, there was not a single dissenting vote. There is not a doubt that Paw Paw township will vote the bonds when the proper time comes. Gentlemen of the Benton Harbor and Eastern, this place is ready to do business whenever you are.